



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:  
Job Cornelis Oostveen *et al.*

Serial No. 09/897,331

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TITLE: RECORD CARRIER PLAYBACK  
APPARATUS AND INFORMATION SYSTEM  
COMPRISING A RECORD CARRIER AND  
PLAYBACK APPARATUS

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 26, 2003, the Applicants submit the following Amendment and Remarks for the above referenced application.